

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
) Conf. #: 3739
Gang BAO et al.)
) Art Unit: 1743
Serial No. 10/694,243)
) Examiner: Dameron Levest Jones
Filed: October 27, 2003)
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For: MULTIFUNCTIONAL MAGNETIC)
NANOPARTICLE PROBES FOR)
INTRACELLULAR MOLECULAR IMAGING)
AND MONITORING)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136


Mail Stop: Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Office Action mailed on March 6, 2006, to expire June 6, 2006.


The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 19-5029 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee for a one-month extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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